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In Re Application of:

LEWIS T. WILLIAMS

Serial No.: 08/719,742

Art Unit: 1646

Filing Date: September 25, 1996

Examiner: E. Lazar-Wesley

Title:

COMBINATION PDGF, KGF, IGF, AND

IGFBP FOR WOUND HEALING

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is an amendment in the above patent application in response to the Office Action of August 20, 1998.

X Petition for Extension of Time enclosed.

X No additional amendment fee is required.

___ Also enclosed:

No. of Claims After Amendment					Extra Claims				Additional Fee	
A. Total Claims	53	-	53	=	0	х	\$18	=	0.00	
B. Ind. Claims	8	-	8	11	0	х	\$78	=	0.00	
C. If amended to contain multiple dependent claims, add 260 \$260							-	\$0.00		
D. Total Amendment Fee (Total of A, B & C)							11	0.00		

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E. If small entity, 50% reduction of Total Amendment Fee (50% of D)	II	0.00
F. Total Amendment Fee (D minus E)	=	0.00

X A check for \$870 to cover the extension of time fee is attached.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 which may be required by this paper, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 18-1648.

Respectfully submitted,

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